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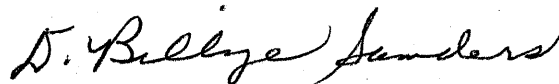
Sara Kyle, Chairman
Tennessee Regulatory Authority
460 James Robertson Parkway
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Re: Joint Petition of Digital Teleport, Inc. and CenturyTel Fiber
Company II, LLC for Approval of the Assignment of Assets and
Authorization to Provide Telecommunications Service
Docket No. 03-00259

Dear Chairman Kyle:

On April 21, 2003, CenturyTel Fiber Company II, LLC provided responses to Data Requests of the Staff dated April 15, 2003. The Verification that was attached to the Responses was a faxed copy. Enclosed is the original Verification which should be attached to the original Petition in the official file.

Sincerely,



D. Billye Sanders

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Enclosures

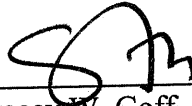
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VERIFICATION

STATE OF LOUISIANA
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I, Stacey W. Goff, being duly sworn, depose and state that I am an authorized representative of CenturyTel Fiber Company II, LLC ("CTF II"), the Petitioner in the proceeding before the Tennessee Regulatory Authority ("TRA") at Docket No. 03-00259; that I am authorized to make this Verification on behalf of CTF II; that the foregoing Responses of CTF II to the Data Requests, dated April 15, 2003, from the TRA staff are true and correct to the best of my knowledge, information and belief.



Stacey W. Goff
Vice President and Asst. General Counsel
CenturyTel Fiber Company II, LLC

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 21st day of April, 2003.



Notary Public

My Commission Expires: at death